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ALCOHOLS AND/OR ALDEHYDES USING A PLATINUM COMPLEX  
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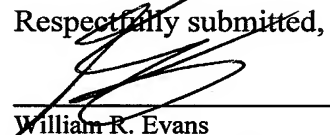
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However, a Preliminary Amendment was filed April 13, 2006, to avoid this and is of record. Therefore, no claim fees were due.

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Respectfully submitted,



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